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STEAM FOR BAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, FOINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES;

PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND ALL INDIAN PORTS.

( N MONDAY, the 13th day of September, 1880, at Noon, the Company's 8. S. ANADYR, Commandant DidIER, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE. and CARGO, will leave this fort for the above placez.

Cargo and Specio will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Maraellles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted until

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and l'arcels until 3 p.m. or the 12th September, 1880. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's ()ffice.) Contents and value of Packages are re-For further particulars, apply at the

Company's Office.

Agent. Hongkong, August 31, 1880. **Be13** 

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,



MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA KOBE AND INLAND SKA.

THE S. S. NIIGATA AARU, Captain WALKER, due here on or about the 13th Instant, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 18th September, at Daylight.

Cargo received on board and Parcels at the Office up to 6 p.m. of 17th September. No Bill of Lading signed under \$2 All Claims must be settled on board before delivery is taken, otherwise they will not be recognized.

RATES OF PASSAGE. To KOBE...... Cabin \$60. Steerage \$15. , YOROHAM & & } Do. \$75. Do. NAGASARI ... A REDUCTION is made on RETURN CABIN PARSAGES.

CARGO and Passenoens for Nagasaki will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail Steamer at Kobe. For further Particulars, apply at the Company's OFFICES, No. 50A, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL

Hongkong, Soptember 4, 1880.



STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI TERRANEAN PORTS, SOUTH-AMPTON, AND LONDON;

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA.

THE PENINSULAR AND OBJECTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship KHIVA, Captain ALDEBTON, will leave this on SATURDAY, the 18th Instant, at 4 p.m.

For further Particulars, apply to A. MolVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, September 7, 1880.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE. IN CONNECTION WITH THE

CENTRAL UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING RAILROAD COMPANIES

ATLANTIC STEAMERS.

THE S. S. GAELIC will be despatched for San Francisco via Yokohama, on FRIDAY, the 24th Instant, 1880, at 3 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States, Mexico, Central and South America, and Europe. Connection is made at Yokohama, with

Steamers from Shanghai. Freight will be received on Board until 4 p.m. of the 23rd September. PARCEL granted at the rates of Premium current at PACKAGES will be received at the Office | the above mentioned Ports. until 5 p.m. same day: all Parcel Package should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. A REDUCTION is made on RETURN PAS-

SAGE TICKETS. Consular Invoices to accompany Overlaud, Mexican, Central and South American Cargo, should be sent to the Company's Offices addressed to the Collector of Cus-HE Undersigned, Agents for the above toms. San Francisco. For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the

Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central. CHAS, H. HASWELL, JR., Hongkong, September 6, 1880. se24

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant THE Appual MEETING of the MEM. Policies against Fire to the extent to \$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein, at current local rates, subject to a House, on WEDNESDAY Next, the 15th Discount of 20% on the Premia.

NORTON & Co., Agents, Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

#### Insurances.

LONDON & STAFFORDSHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, HITHERTO CALLED THE

STAFFORDSHIRE FIRE INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. CAPITAL,-Two MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to issue POLICIES COVERING FIRE RISKS at Current Rates.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents. Hongkong, August 26, 1880.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMMPANY, LIMITED.

READ OFFICE, HONGKONG. Position of the Company at the close of the

last financial year, the 30th April, 1880. CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED......\$1,000,000.00 CAPITAL PAID-UP..... \$ 800,000.00 RESERVE FUND ...... \$ 425 000.00 BALANCE UNDIVIDED...... \$ 70,278.43 DIVIDEND PAID TO SHARE-HOLDERS..... 20 % per Annum.

OF BISINESS, 25 % on the amount of their Contributions. THE Company grants Policies on MARINI Risks to all parts of the World, payable at any of its Agencies. Contributory Dividends are PAYABLE TO ALL CONFRIBUTORS OF BUSI.

PIVIDEND PAID TO ALL CONTRIBUTORS

NESS WHETHER THEY ARE SHARE. HOLDERS OR NOT. B. GOLDSMITH,

Acting Secretary. Hongkong, August 13, 1880. THE LONDON ASSURANCE

INCOMPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER His Majesty King George The First,

A. D. 1720. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows :-Marine Department.

Policies at current rates payable either here, in London or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia. Fire Department.

Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates. A discount of 20 % allowed. Life Department. Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000 at reduced rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, July 25, 1872. TANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up) ......Tls. 420,000 PERMANENT RESERVE......Tle 230,000 SPECIAL RESERVE FUND......Tls. 263,268

TOTAL CAPITAL and Ac-CUMULATIONS, 8 t h } .....Ths. 913,268 April, 1880..... Directors.

W. M. BOYD, Esq. | WM. MEYERINE, Esq. J. H. PINCKVOSS, F. D. BITCH, Esq. HEAD OFFICE-SHANGHAL Messrs RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries.

F. B. FOBBRS, Esq., Chairman.

LORDON BRANCH: Moters BARING BROTHERS & Co.. Bankers.

RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent, 68 and 69, Cornhill.

POLICIES granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the World. Subject to a charge of 12 % for Interest on Shareholdera' Capital, all the PROFITS of the Underweiting Business are anqually distributed among all Contributors of Business in proportion to the Premia paid by them. RUSSELL & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, May 11, 1880. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE

INSURANCE COMPANY. Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000. THE Undersigned, AGENTS at Hongkong to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at the usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20

GILMAN & Co.,

Hongkong, July 6, 1876.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG.

GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of A China and Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon and Penang. Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance

NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEES. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,

Secretary. Hongkong, November 1, 1871.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

Company, are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates. MELOHERS & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, October 27, 1874.

To-day's Advertisements.

NOTION.

BER9 of the Hongkond YACHT CLUB will be Held at the Honono OLUB September, at Half past Four o'Clock p.m. EDWARD BEART,

Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, September 10, 1880.

# To-day's Advertisements.

FOR AMOY AND TAMSUL The Steamship Captain ABBOIT, will be Ports TO-MORROW, the 11th Inst., at

4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, September 10, 1880, OCEAN STE MSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL

The Co.'s Steamship " Deucalion," Capt. Thos. PURDY, will be despatched TO-M. R. ROW, the 11th instant, at 5 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

A gents. Hongkong, September 10, 1880.

FUR MANILA. The Steamship "Esmeralda," Captain Talbor, will be lespatched for the above Fort on MONDAY, the 18th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, September 12, 1880.

FOR SALE. ONE IRON WATER TANK, 1,500 Apply to MORE & SEIMUND. Hongkong, September 10, 1880. sel7

Not Responsible for Debts.

Al either the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during

their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-GENERAL FAROUILD, American, barque, Capt. David Kelly. - Melchera & Co. ROSLE WELT American ship, Capt. O. C. Welt .- Araboid, Kafberg & Co.

SAN JOAQUIN, American ship, Capt. J. B. L'rinkwater.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co. KEPLER, German barque, Capt. Hazenburg.-Siemssen & Co. METEOR, German barque, Captain T.

Horstmann .- Molchers & Co. CHINA, German 3-m. schooner, Captain Boyein. - Arnhold, Karberg & Co. CABARFEIDTH, British barque, Captain John Modenzie. - Melchers & Co. HANNAH W. DUDLEY, American barque, Capt. D. W. Dudley. - Adamson, Bell & Co. CHARLES TOWNSEND HOOK, British str., Capt. Bradley. - Eduard Schelihass & Co.

CEYLON, American barque, Captain Hayden.-Russell & Co. BANSA, G-rman barque, Captain L. O. Deneken. - Wieler & Co.

# SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. Sept. 10, Deucalion, British steamer, 1639, T. Purdy, Shanghai Sept. 3, and Foochow 8, Tea and General.—BUTTER-

FIRLD & SWIRE. Sept. 10, Tsing-po, Chinese gunboat, from Sept. 10, Volga, French steamer, 951,

Gurand, Yokohama Sept. 3, Mails and General, -- MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. DEPARTURES. Sept. 10, Charité, for Bangkok: 10, Alice Mary, for Foochow. 10, Yungching, for Shanghal. 10, Yanyteze, for Shanghai.

10, Hing Shing, for Hollow. CLEARED. Kepler, for Newchwang. Wega, for Saigon. Telemachus, for Amoy & Shanghai. Thornhill, for Shanghai. Cinquies for Newchwang.

Faugh a Balaugh, for Tientaln. PASSENGERS

ARRIVED. Per Deucation, from Foochow, Mr Dea-Per Volga, from Yokohama: for Hongkong, Mr Matchiours, and 2 Chinese; for Marseilles, Mr Kumayaya.

DEPARTED. Per Yungching, for Shanghai, 70 Chinese. Per Yangtez: for Shanghai, 1 Cabin. Per Hing Shing, for Hothow, 50 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Descalion reports Left Shanghal on Friday, Sept. 8rd at 10 a.m.; and had fine weather with light winds. Arrived at Foochow on Sunday, Sept. 5th, and sailed on Wednesday the

fine weather to Hongkong. POST OFFICE NOTICES.

8th at 10 a.m.; and had light winds and

MAILS will close:-For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS, AND CALCUTTA. Per Suez and Arratoon Apear, at 2.30

p.m., on Saturday, the 11th inst. For AMOY AND TAMSUL-Per Fokien, at 3.30 p.m. To-morrow, the 11th iust.

the 11th inst.

For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS, SUEZ, AND LONDON .-Per Descalion, at 4.30 p.m. To-morrow, Turnar, September 14:the 11th iost. FOI EWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW,-Wannesday, September 15:4,30 p.m.—Meeting of the Members Per Douglas, at 5 pm., on Saturday,

For SWATOW .-Per Yottung, at 5 p.m. To-morrow, the THURSDAY, September 16:-11th inst. For MANILA. Per Esmeralda, at 8.30 p.m., on Monday,

the 13th inst. For BANGKOK .-Per Convolation, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the 13th inst. For JAPAN via KOBE .-

Per Niigata Maru, at 5 p.m., on Friday,

the 17th inst. FOR NAGASAKI AND YOKOHAMA .--Per Malacca, is postponed till further

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .-The French Contract Packet Anadyr will be despatched on MONDAY, the 13th September, with Malle to and through the United Kingdom and Europe, vid Naples; to Salgon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, O-ylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutta, Aden, Egypt, Malta and Gibraltar.

sell The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, do.

> MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.-The British Contract Packet Khiva will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 18th September, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavis, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

N.B. - This Packet carries no mails for the Australian Colonies.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mall Packet Gaelic, will be despatched on FRIDAY, the Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, do, which will be closed as follows :-

2.15 P M. Registry coases. 2.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Letters (except for Non-Union Countries) may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure. Correspondence for Non-Union West Indies (except the Bahamas and Hayti). Monte Video, Paraguay, and Uruguay cannot be sent by this route. \*

HOURS OF CLOSING THE FRENCH MAILS. The following hours are observed in closing

Hougkong, Sept. 10, 1880.

Mails, &c., by the French Contract Packet :-P.M. -Money Order Office closes.

Post Office closes, except the

NIGHT Box, which is always open out of Office hours. Monday, -A.M. - Post Office opens. A.M. - Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases.

11 A.M. - Mails closed, except for Late 11.10 A.M.-Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 11.30 A.M. - when the Post Office closes

entirely. 11.40 a.M.-Late Letters may be posted on board the packet with Late Fee of 10 cents until time of departure.

## Shipping Intelligence.

The following is corrected from the latest London and Colonial Papers, &c :-VESSELS TO ARRIVE. AT HONGEONS.

From. Left. Name. Glargow 6, Diana, Cuxhaven 31, Dorothea, London 5, Titania, Antwerp Cardiff 10. Dr Petermann, 10, Agues Muir, Hamburg London 15, Oldbridge, Cardiff 16. Valparaiso, N'castle (N.S. W.) 17. Goldhunter, 22, Annie H Smith, Cardiff Penarth

24. Blairhoyle, Hamburg 24. Hotspur, Penarth 28, Importer, Genoa 1. Bengala (s.) Hamburg 2, Adolph, Weser, Penarth Cardiff 5. Belle of Oregon, N'castle (n.s.w.) Brunette, 13, Scholde. London 17. Charlton, 17. Warwick Castle, Antwerp London 22. Stentor (\*) Cordiff 22. Channel Queen. Antwerp 25. Vortigern (a.)

Cardiff 28, Great Admiral, 28, Orion, LOADING FOR CHINA AND JAPAN PORTS. At London .- Steamer via Suez Canal. Glenearn. Glenartney.

27. James Bailoy.

Bengloe.

Cardiff

Sailing Vessels. John Nicholson. At Liverpool. Bellerophon (s.) Atia (8)

At Hamburg Hakon Adelsten (s.) At Newcastle, N.S.W. Cashmere. Dagnar. Penobacot. Catharina.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping. 3 p.m. - Sues and Arratoon Apear leave for Singapore, &c.

4 p.m .- Fokien leaves for Amoy, &c.

5 p.m. - Deucation leaves for London. General Memoranda. SUNDAY, September 12 :-Daylight Douglas leaves for Coast

MONDAY, September 13:-Noon.-French Mail leaves for Ports Gall and Europe. 4 p.m.—Esmeralda leaves for Manila. 6 p.m .- Meeting of Cricket Club.

the Hongkong Yacht Club. 9 p.m. - Meeting of Perseverance Lodge. BATURDAY, September 18 :--Daylight.-Mitsu Bishi Mail leaves for gas supplied at a low rate. Yokohama, do.

2 p.m .- Auction of Household Furniture,

dro, at No. 9, Gage Street (by Mr J.

4 p.m - English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. FRIDAY, September 24 :--3 p.m. -Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co.'s Stenmer leaves for Yokohama and San

M. Armstrong).

Francisco.

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WILL BE READY

TO MORROW.

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MEDICINES. NANUFACTURERS

24th Inst., with Mails for Japan, Sau Soda Watter, Lamona le, Tonio Water, Gingerade, Potass Water, Samaparilla Water, and other Aerated Waters. The Manufactory is under direct and continuous European Supervision.

> Hongkong, June 1, 1876. ABSENGERS arriving in Hongkong, or any other persons who may desire to conmit the files of local, China, Japan, American, English, Indian or Australian newspapers, are invited to call at the " Offina Mail" Office, where over sixty newspapers, dailies and weeklies, from those countries, are now filed for

The publication of this issue commenced

# The China Mail.

HONGEONG, PRIDAY, SEPT. 10, 1880.

REVIER'S TELEGRAMS. [SUPPRIED TO THE "CHINA MAIL,"]

(Per E. B. A. & O. Telegraph Co.'s Line.) THE KANDLILAR VICTORY—AYUBERAN PLEES THE INCMY SUFFERS GREAT LOSS;

BRITISH LOSS TRIFLING. BOMBAY, Sept. 8. Ayub Khan has fled. His loss is 32 guns, and the slaughter of the enemy was great. The British loss is 248 and no pri-

soners taken. LOCAL AND GENERAL The next FRENCH MAIL may be expected arrive here on Sunday morning next, the

18th inst., by the M. M. str. Iraouaddy.

The next AMERICAN MAIL may be expected here

on erabout the 14th inst., by the O. & O steamer Gaelie, which left Ban Francisco on the 17th August. WE have to acknowledge receipt of D Edkins' "Chinese Buddhism: a volume Historical, Descriptive, and Critical." It is handsomely got up, and

forms one of Trübner's Oriental Series. We hear that the steamer Kang-Chi (Captain Crowlie) is ashore on the Hainen Coast, and that the Hing-Shing has been sent to her assistance. H. M. S. Magpie, it is said, is standing by the disabled steamer.

Ir is observable that the shares of the H. K. & Whampon Dock Company are recovering somewhat from their recent temporary depression, and it is understood that the reason may be found in the fact that certain arrangements are pending with read with great satisfaction the letter mignthe opposition Company which will probably result in the mutual benefit of all opportuneness. Hongkong is one of the concerned. Up to the present time, outside shipowners appear to have had all the advantige, and it is beginning to dawn upon the minds of stockholders that this clear that in such case the guarantee of the

is neither altogether right nor desirable.

Wm am given to understand that permis

aion has been asked from His Excellency the Governor to use the streets and roads of the Colony to enable an additional Gas . Company to commence operations. Consumes of Gas in Hongkong have often We all know that Hongkong possesses grum lied at the enormously high price (\$4 a large number of gentlemen who do buper 1400 cubic feet) now charged, but they are virtually committed to the one Com. b. okers. As the Colony apparently has no pany or must necessarily use oil, and they law by which to protect the trader in case have had to "grumble and pay." Any new scheme therefore which promises a applied which has been suggested by your reduction on the present high rates will be correspondent "Borntator." OPINION. a wellowe piece of competitive enterprise It is stated that the share capital (£65,000) of the present Company is so heavy that sees lis way to grant his support to the proposed scheme, the saving to the Governoutwigh any disturbance of the streets. and spads that will be required, and enable safe and beneficial as Gas. There seems

As to the vexed question of the losses Macio, at the Yacht Club at that city" the finally, and at the same time ! point a moral and adorn a tale":-Polersburg Yacht Club that the most august of eighty millions of people.

personages in Russia have felt themselves called upon to check the 'gambling propensities of the reckless Boyars whose recent inordinate gains and losses have been brought under their cognisance. It would appear that the particular episode which prompted Imperial intervention was the changing of hands, within a week, of no less a sum than six hundred thousand pounds in the play rooms of the club. More than half of that enormous amount was lost by Prince Demidoff, of San Donato, to his consin. Colonel Count Schouvaloff-not the diplomatist, but an aide-de-camp to the Czar. This stopendous gambling transsotion came to the ears of Count Loris-Melikoff, who deemed it his duty to report the matter to the Emperor, craving his Majesty's permission to dissolve the club. This crowning disaster to the jeunesse dorée of the Russian capital was averted through the interposition of the Grand Dake Vladimir ; but the Czar, it is stated, sent for Count Schouvaloff, and laid his commands upon that gentleman to return seven-eighths of his winnings to Prince Demidoff, observing that "he might be very well eatiefied with having gained forty thousand pounds at a game of cards." It is needless to say that his Majesty's orders

> Police Intelligence. (Before the Hon. M. S. Tonnochy)

were carried out to the letter.

Friday, Sept. 10. John Kelly, unemployed, was charged

with being drunk and incapable of taking care of himself in the public streets on the 9th inst. Mahomet Jahn, P. O. 523, deposed to picking the defendant from out of the gutter

in Queen's Road Central and taking him to the Police Station. Defendant was fined 25 cents or 1 days im, risonment with hard labour. Maria Collaco was aummoned at the

instance of Adress Bruno de Souzs, clerk, for that she on the 7th instant did make use of insulting and abusive language towards him whereby a breach of the peace might have been occasioned. The plaintiff appeared and requested that

Request allowed; summons withdrawn. "NO PAGE. Three Chinese named respectively Wong Muk Sau, Su Man Chan, and Man Akui were charged for being at large at night

MORE PAR KOP PIU. Li Akun and Li Ping Leung, two doctors. were arrested on a warrant charged with keeping an agency for dealing in lotteries on the first floor of house No. 50 Stanley

imprisonment with hard labour.

(Before the Hon. Ng Choy) REPORTED. Wong Akai, a coolie, and Poo Ayee, a boatwoman, who were charged with having unlawful peasession of nineteen tine of

hired the 2nd prisoner's boat to take him to Shenng Wan and that the kerosene was on board the boat when he went on board. 2nd prisoner stated that she picked up the time from the water. 1st prisoter was discharged and 2nd

Cheng Afuk, watchmen, and Wong Afung, marine hawker, for (I) stealing a quantity of hard wood from the Barracks at Kowloon; (2) receiving the same knowing it to

CORRESPONDENCE. SCRUTATOR SECONDED. To the Editor of the " CHIMA MAIL."

The letter, no doubt, has the merit of most important markets of the East, where transactions for thousands and thousands of pounds sterling take place almost every day between individuals that understand each other not infrequently by signs only. It is transactors lies in the good intention of the broker. "Scrutator" appears to me to be a man of correct judgment, with a true knowledge of men of business. He proposes to seek for a remedy, to be applied to a great evil which is daily making itself felt in the commercial market of this Colony. In this question there will not, I believe be a single honourable broker who does not second the intention of "Scrutator." siness under the name of broker," und

REFERENCE was made recently in Parliament to the activity and spirit that purvade any reduction they may be disposed to the French dockyards. We believe, says the make can never fall so low as that which a Fall Mall Gazette, that we are right in new Company, with a much smaller capital, in this direction, but they have built twice can give to the public. If His Excellency as much during the last twelve months as has been built in our own yards. This will not put sensible Englishmen into a fright, but it is a reason, as far as it goes,

class European inhabitants to use a light so journal is published. The papers is probably the amaliest in the world, being only Sin. by Sin. The editors and reporters to be no reason why two Gas Companies here not only the ordinary work of editors should not flourish in this Colony, were the to do, but carry around the type, presses, and stock of this remarkable journal in their pockets. One carries the type, another the lnk and another the paper on which The Will of the People is published. The editors meet in some retired and seconded spot, strike off a dozen copies, which are following may now put matters to rights secretly carried to some town and there distributed. And yet such is the power of the press that this insignificant little journal, Sin by Sin., with a circulation of only

without night passes; the first prisoner was discharged and the others were fined 10

The case was fully proved, and the Magistrate fined each defendant in sum of one hundred dollars, in default two months'

Kerosene Oil on the 3rd instant, were again First prisoner stated in defence that he

prisoner was fined \$20 or six weeks' imprisonment with hard labour. UNLAWFUL POSSESSION OF BOME WOOD. Sprgeant Grant charged Chan Asu, and

After taking the evidence of the Sergeant his Worship discharged the 3rd defendant

and fined the 1st and 2nd prisoners \$3 each or 7 days' imprisonment with hard

Sir, In your issue of last night I have

we also know that there are brokers and of irregularities on the part of some who pass as brokers, the remedy might well be

ment and the public generally will far for abandoning the policy of allow ship-A cuntous description is that given of the steff of the Russian Mihilist paper, The Will

Play has run so high of late at the St. twelve, is able to terrify the autocratic ruler

the aummons might be withdrawn as defendant had premised not to a noy him cents each.

jects managed again by a majority of one to

the Council and the public.

Mr Keswick was not prepared, nor di-

he think it would be desirable to take up

the time of the Council by going through

him. But as His Excellency had stated

bis opinion that the papers published by the

the material facts as to the difference be-

tween His Excellency and the Committee

statements His Excellency had made were

tions there were had not been violated

They were as free to the Hall as any other

nationality. There were, admittedly, re-

any class. In the same way the Europeans

were excluded at certain hours. They were

excluded for some time for reasons which

taking advice in which they had much con-

selves, reasons which satisfied the Com-

Committee were concerned. There was

soum than did the ancient books of San-

in Excellency had referred, they were

served. The result was such as no sensible

reasonable, practical man could doubt was

excluded. They were admitted free for

nationalities were. There was no exclusion

and Secretary of State whose sug-

He said that it might be well to cast

expersions on the Committee, but His Ex

cellency would not by that means vindicate

the policy he had pursued with regard to

dealing with the public meeting of October

hon, friend's memory. There his hon.

frlend was the leader ; he got up the meet

ing; he proposed the first resolution

Ruttonjee proposed the third. He quoted

from the petition from Chinese shopkeep-

ors which was very gracionaly received by

Her Majanty, these said shopkeepers' com-

plaints against certain foreigners of whom

his hon, friend was the leader. This was

first time a distinction had been attempted

between Chinese and Europeans. What-

not, as his hon, friend had suggested.

Mr Forbes proposed the second;

The Governor replied in a violent speech

the City Hall

not borne out by the facts; that the repre-

#### LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Legislative Council of when the following members were present :- H. E. the Governor, Sir J. hn Pope Hennessy, President; the Hop. the Acting Colonial Secretary, F. Stewart, L.L.D., the Hon. the Attorney General, Treasurer, M. S. Tonnochy, and the following unofficial members :- Ron. P. Ryrie, Hon. W. Keswick, Hon. J. M. Peles, Hon. Ng Oboy.

THE APPROPRIATION BILL-THE GOVERNOR ON THE CITY HALL QUESTION.

To-day the discussion of the principle of the Appropriation Bill came on, Mr Keswick criticising several omissions and other matters.

His Excellency replied at some length; but the whole report of these proceedings we are compelled to hold over to make room for the following speeches :-

His Excellency continued: There was tion of the hop, member from time to time, but of which he had said nothing in his re- of the Hall; for some time he was \$1,200. That was an omission in the all the responsibility was reason to allow it to pass without remark.

stood this item was included.

it was omitted on the present occasion. Mr Keswick said he bad not observed the called attention to it.

as last, and that they only came to the free and unreserved, what terms small figure of \$4000. Perhaps, however, limitations were proposed? Mr Renthe hon, member thought the subject of nie and Mr Ryris answered the omission of this vote of \$1200 not one minute. They said that the whole of very great importance, not one of so arrangements had not yet been a report presented to and adopted by a people meeting of which he was Chairman dealing with this special matter of the City Hall. This report was sent to him as Governor of the Colony; he read it with interest, and he found in it some reference to this sum of money now withheld from the expenditure as proposed by the Bill before them for next year. There was a good deal of correspondence appended to this report and a number of documents. He had also Mr Rennie, when taken a look into the proceedings of the meeting itself, and he there found his hon. friend, who was Chairman, reported as making these remarks :-

"In connection with the Museum you will cial paper -a public, an official letter; as have observed that a very serious misunder- much so as anything could be; laid up in Executive, the Governor. The origin of the difference is shown in the first letter addressed to the City Hall Committee. That letter is | City unique in the way in which it sesumes that the Committee must obey the behests of the a private letter, Sir Richard MacDonnell Hall. It is the first time that the Committee has been so addressed. In all previous communications, when we have had communication with the Governors of this Colony, we have received from them from the first to the last, and the last one is the exception, every support and assistance in making this public Institution as beneficial to the community as possible.

laid before them at the same time the ality without restriction. That notice was various documents which the City Hall acted upon for many years with respect to Committee put in their possession on this the Museum as well as the Library. subject, and those who were present at the That notice was in strict accord with the mee ing went away with the impression conditions laid down by Sir Richard that they had all the documents before MacDonnell and agreed to between him them, or all that it was in the power of the and the City Hali Committee. All these City Hall Committee to put before them, facts were material facts and were concealed them for coming to a decision on the friend in whose hands all the papers were points which they were asked to give a placed some two months ago. What was decision upon by that Committee. Now the object to be gained by concealing these what were the facts? He had no besitation | facts from the public of the Colony? There in saying that there never was an instance | was another point. It had been said that in which more serious omissions occurred, ing the money to be paid by the Governthere was not one word said as to the one or two friends were passing through of the Community of this Colony; there notice they had seen, or at all events a specific conditions Sir Richard MacD mell the City Hall Committee, insamuch as - subject, all these papers and minutes being | nese and other nationalities in the Colony, in the bands of the Committee and all that notice having come into effect after Sie public of the Colony. Now, suppose those some years after the arrival of Sir Arthur men of business to go to the City Hall | Kennedy in Hongkong, when it was adopt meeting, twenty or thirty men of business, ed without the knowledge or consent of bankers, leading merchants, brokers, &c., the Executive. On his attention being all these were men thoroughly under- called to this matter, he laid it before his standing their own business arrangements; advisors. The notice was fully considered; cealed from them, in which only portions that nuless the conditions of Sir Richard of the correspondence were to be placed MacDonnell's grant and minutes were carconsent to deal with such a case | When letter was written to the City Hall Comthey learned, as they would now do to day mittee that unless they agreed to modify the for the first time, the true facts of the case, notice at the Museum, and to abolish this would they not be surprised to find that distinction of nationalities, he the Governor there had been kept back from them, when would not be able to put the vote for \$1,200 they were asked to decide on this matter, in the estimates for 1880. Some corresthis grant had been made by the Govern- knew a division took place in the Commitment, specific conditions which had been tee. He believed it was a matter of violated by the Committee without the notoriety that two leading members of the santion or knowledge of the Executive. To Committee, Mr Hyrie and Mr Basacon, took begin with there was the deed; this was somewhat different views from that of his not the first time his hon. friend had seen hon, friend (Mr Keswick) and three others, the deed. It had been before him as a It was well that the Community should member of the City Hall Committee understand who the gentlemen were who These minutes of Sir Richard MacDonnell's were moving in this matter and what they were all before him as a member of that had done. When the discussion took place Committee ! they had been read by the in the Executive Council-he might state Committee, they had been considered by the matter publicly new the believed it the Committee. Not one word of all this was pretty well known at the time -the Actappeared in this publication of papers ing Attorney General said that Mr Byrle was by the Committee, although they were all the only one connected with the City Hail essential to the case. The deed purported responsible to the Governor. Sir Richard to be made between Her Majesty the MacDonnell not only laid down conditions Queen, on the one part, and Alex. Turing, which had been violated, but he gave in-

other part. His Excellency read through money was to be paid. the deed, which set forth the right of the Hongkong was held this forenoon (Sept. Governor in name of the Queen to give grants of land for their own use to private persons or to be lies corporate or Trustees to the use of Her Majerry's subjects residing in the Colony or any of them. the grant so made by Sir Richard MacDon-E. L. O'Malley, the Hon. the Acting specific purpose, and here he might state in such grants it was provided that the Trustees do not sasign or mortgage any portion of the ground on penalty of forfelture; they were also bound to build a structure on the ground to cost at least \$10,000 and on penalty of resumption of the land by Her Majesty. This building the Trustees were not to use nor to allow to be used for any other purpose than City Hall. In any such case the grant would absolutely cease and determine and the grantees would be liable to expulsion. After reading the whole of the deed, His Excellency continued that he found on referring to the papers which had been circulated by the authority of the Committee of the Oity Hall not one word of this deed or to the conditions which Sir Richard MacDonnell came to with the gentlemen then managing the City Hall. At that time, for a con one omission in the estimates which he siderable time previously and for some time thought had attracted the continued atten- afterwards Mr Ryrie was the only one taking any great part in the mana ement marks to-day. It was a small sum, only only one representing the Hall; on him estimates of this year about which the hon. What were the conditions imposed and member had not had a word to say, under what circuustances? He imposed That was the usual vote of \$1,200 to pay these conditions with full notice to the genthe Curator of the Museum. Now the hon. | tlemen of the City Hall for which the reamember who had criticised the estimates sons were set forth. Referring to minutes was a practical man of business and a very | and other documents, His Excellency first nactul member of this Council, and he had | read a minute by Sir Richard MacDonnell no doubt noted this omission and had good | which he remarked that it occurred to him that it be suggested to the Trustees small sum for a Museum; he remarked

Mr Keawler pointed to the item "other of the City Hall that they show cause miscellaneous services," in which he under- | why the Government should grant The Governor said the hon, member had that he was anxious to secure the man been too long a member of this Council agement of the Institution on liberal and was too shrewd a man of business not terms, and such as might fairly entitle to miss from the estimates, which he told the Museum to a grant from the Colonial the Council he had gone into with some Tressury. It was referred to Mr Rennie. care, this vote of \$1,200 which appeared in and Mr Rennie gave a long explanation on previous estimates. In the estimates of jeaveral matters into which he need not enprevious years it appeared, allowance to the | ter. Sir Richard MacDonnell's next minute City Hall for salary of librarian and curator | pointed out that this question was not anof the museum; it had always so appeared, | swered by this reply and he proceeded to and of course, his hon. friend had seen that | put his question thus directly :- Are the Library and Museum to be manager on liberal terms, and if so what are those omission; he was glad His Excellency had | terms? Were the Library and Museum to be free to every person of whatever nation-The Governor pointed out that the mis- slity who was properly dressed and well callaneous services were the same this year | behaved? If admission was not thus to be

great importance to call for his bringing it finitely settled, but there had never been before the Governor in Council when the any other idea than that the admission estimates were before the Council; but his should be perfectly gratuitous, and that bon. friend had drawn his attention towards | the Library and Museum should be opened it, for he had sent him what purported to be to all well-behaved and properly-dressed Mr Keswick asked the date of that letter.

> ome from the Committee ? The Governor: It is signed by Mr Rennie on behalf of the Committee. Mr Keswick remarked that it appeared to

order and stated that he could reply after-

wards. It was no private memorandum.

It was an official document, written on offi

Mr Kenwick: And does it purport to

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him to be a mere private memorandum by The Governor called the hon, member to

between the Committee and the the archives of the Colony as an agreement made between the Governor of the Colony behalf of the Queen and Hall Committee. What done on that letter! It not being he had authorised certain assistance to this public Institution on the distinct understanding that it was to be open to all independent of class; he said he would not have given the grant out of the money of the rate-payers, but for the fact that that had been agreed on. What was the notice then issued? It was that which was Now, he observed this was a meeting of in force up to the present day in which the what he might call business men, all sen- Library, and in this notice the Museum sible men of business, and that was a state- | was very properly coupled with it, was dement to which they listened; and there was clared open free to persons of every nation--that they had the fair materials before from the public, though known to his hon. in this Colony, in which a case was put he had taken a different course, a course no before political partitions or men of business other Governor had ever taken in instructthan the case which was supposed to be sid ment in respect of the City Hall to be before the public in this report and its appaid to the Trustees, or rather to the pendix. To begin with, not one word was Trustee, for they had only one new in the said as to the trust deed under which the Colony. Why did he give these instructions? grant of the City Hall property was held, He would tell them. Mr Palgrave and conditions of which Her Majesty's Govern- Hongkong and called his attention to what ment gave the City Hell to the whole appeared to them to be a very discreditable was not one word said as to the clear and notice which brought very little credit on laid down in his various minutes on the drew an invidious distinction between Chithese minutes being concealed from the Richard MacDonnell had left the Colony, consider something in which all grant was made, and a unanimous resoluthe conditions were to be carefully con- tion was passed in the Executive Council before them, would they as men of business ried out, the grant would be withdrawn. A the whole of the specific conditions on which pondence took place ; and his hon. friend

Mr Keswick: Was that sont with the marked private, and he would read to the ot er papers? The Governor said it was. It was C.S.O. 11th May, 1879. Some memo was cent as tionally that the rules meet to City Hall expense, and Sir Richard's your approval and thus give time for armemo was :-- "As this expenditure is rangement." This letter was dated October regularly provided for in the estimates 28th. The vote was allowed to stand, and of the current year, I see no objection the revision of the notice which the Comto the payment of the money to the Trustees." He therefore not only seted in accordance with the opinion of his revised did not meet with his approval. legal advisers, but in accordance with These gentlemen who were not British subthe only precedent he had before him as to the payment of money by Government in exclude the Chinese British subjects. He respect of the City Hall. Messra Ryrie and intimated this to the Committee, and at the Sassoon were disposed to think that the same time instructions were given to pay Committee might abolish this invidious the money to the Trustee. The question distinction of nationality, but there were now was whether they were to continue three other gentleman he understood paying this money to persons who had no who supported his hon. friend; they legal position so far as the City Hall was attended this public meeting, at concerned, who had violated every engagesome of them, and taken had retain this last little remnant of intolerance position there, and he therefore no hesitation in using their on their notice board. There was no other signed by "Warren de la Rue, Chairman, names,-Mr Hoppius, Mr Forbes, and Mr | notice in the Colony with such a distinction Ruttonjee. He alluded to the meeting at contained in it; and was forsooth this insti which the resolution was defeated by a tution to be kept up by public money? were majority of one, to come to terms with the | public funds to be paid towards the support Governor. A good deal had been said of this Institution while this foolish and despatch :about the Governor and the Committee, intolerant notice remained? He need not He would read from Her Majesty's Instruc- say it could not be don He was not surtions a passage which the Council would prised at the fact that his hon friend had see governed in spirit any action of this avoided all reference to this subject. How-With respect to the legislation of ever, he had now given them all the facts this Council he was instructed that if any of the case, and from the papers which ordinance came before him for approval | would be laid before them, they would get whereby persons subjects of Her Majesty all the details to which he had referred. who were not of Kurop-an birth were made | His hon, friend had an opportunity subject or liable to any disabilities or liabi. seeing them before; be knew the case the lities to which subjects of Her Majesty of roughly, but for the first time now the European birth were not subject, he was not | material facts requisite for the right undertogive his consent to that ordinance. The standing of the case had been laid before Royal Commission and the Royal Instructions gave a Governor immense powers, but for reasons which Her Majesty and the Queen's advisors regarded as of importance every Governor was precluded from sanctioning such an not as that described. The Royal Instructions were the chief guide of a Governor. Sir Richard sacDonnell acted City Hall Committee did not set forth all do more than point out to you the extreme as a loval Governor in insisting on these conditions and gave eff et to the spirit of the Royal Instructions. And now was it so did he declare his conviction that the to be said that Mr Hoppius and Mr Forbes and Mr Ruttonjee were to teach the Givernor of this Colony, on the all-im portant question of the relations between persons of European birth and those not of Kuropean birth ? Were these cen to unset the conditions framed by Sir Richard Mac-Donnell and the Royal Instructions of the present Governor? Mr Hoppins might eay,-" What do I care for Queen Victoria's Instructions ! The Governor's conjuct is. of exclusion of Chinese from the City Hall. no doubt, in complete accord with these instructions; but I am a German." In the same way Mr Forbos might ask .- "What gulations, but they were misrepresented do I care about these Instructions from when they were described as exclusive of Queen Victoria ? They are not the Instructions of the President of the United States. His bon, friend the Chairman of the City Hall Committee could not say that. this was not merely a question of the Governor acting in accordance with the In- [fidence, after consulting the Chinese themstructions of Her Majesty the Queen. the Secretary of State and the aug and comfort of both hinese and Eurothe refusal by the City Hall Committee to consider it. He did not believe that any persons, Germans, Americans or English nothing of exclusion to one race or ansubjects, ever before in the history of this other; there was nothing but the regula-Cotony, had taken the responsibility that tions which were and would always be this Committee had done in rejecting the accessary in an institution of the kind suggestions of the Secretary of State. It The notice of which so much had been had been said by the most eminent, perhaps | made no more contained any invidious disof his predecessors in the Government of tinction, excluding Chinese from the Muhis Colony that in Hongkony, the Chinese numbered 98 per cent of the population scrit. With regard to the papers to waich and contributed proportionately to the revenue the knew himself that they contri. before the Committee and the mittee had had the advantage of thobuted considerably over 90 per cent These gentlemen came to the Chinese, roughly considering them and giving to 1,100 of it is contributed by Chinese, and eeble way to gibbet you on our notice board, sithough we know well enough the Governor who granted this originally made it a strict condition that the place Michael Hicks Beach wrote a dispatch in which he referred to the objection then | word had been used. With regard to the and which Governor Pope Hennessy is so made by the City Hall Committee, or by go to the City Hall to look at a dried was the distinction ! But, forepoth, Mesers prevent these subjects of the Queen from

Messrs Hoppius, Forbes and Ruttunjee, footing, he remarked that there was not that there was a likelihood of a disturbance that tendency on the part of the Chinese to arising between the lower class of Chinese | flock to the Library that there was to flock visiting the Museum and the answering to the Museum. The regulations simply class of Chinese. He (the Governor) must prevented overcrowding, not freedom say that he considered that very unlikely, of access. As emphatically as words Bir Michael Hicks Beach considered it could allow to him to do so. very unlikely. If the Chinese desired to | deuled in toto the Governor's charge against the Committee of autpressing material snake, why should they be prevented when facts. The truth was contained in what they were allowed to resort to the Gardens, the Committee had issued. It was simply where they could watch the live anakes, or | the correspondence; there was no comment visit the Library, where they sould get or very little. It was for this community books with pictures of smaller size. Where to judge between the City Hall Committee and the Governor as to this whole matter. Hoppius, Forbes and Ruttonjee were to and the feeling of strife in the Colony which it had been attempted to stir up having free access to the Museum. One never been anything else in the Colony. would have thought, when the Secretary of State's despatch came expressing great Hitherto there had been no such feeling. doubt as to the existence of such a danger and he doubted whether even this effort these gentlemen apprehended from a colli. to stic up such a feeling would be sucsion between the lower classes of Europeans and Chinese, and suggesting that a six months' trial of free admission to all nationalities should be given, the ultimate arrangement to be decided by the experience thus gained, that some respect would have been paid to it; but the City Hall Committee declined to consider the matter. The question as to whom the trust was legally vested in, as to who was responsible the Governor, was referred to the new Attorney General on his arrival; he gave a very clear opinion coinciding with all previous legal advice that the trust was vested solely in the remailing trustee, Mr Ryrie. A letter was written by the Acting Colonial Secretary, conveying the auguestion made by the Secretary of State (read para, 4, letter the honour to represent there. He treated 653, p. 18 of published correspondence). it as a great matter of principle that there the Committee replied that the new reshould be no more distinction of race at the gulations were so fully considered and the Museum than in the Gardens or in the pubmajority was so clearly in favour of them. that they were unable to see that any Tue Astorney General dealt with the useful end would be served by trying the experiment suggested. So that these gentle. subject at some length as a question of principle, as a matter of good faith and as men, the majority of whom were not British subjects, claimed the right to exclude the point that His Excellency did not stand Chinese subjects of Her Majesty from this alone in the position he had taken up, that public institution, for which the Governhe had the support of his Executive Counment gave a grant of land worth more than \$70,000, and thus exclude themin face of the gestion the Committee had not treated with conditions made with the Institution by Sir the respect due to it. Richard MacDonnell, in face of the Instruc-Mr Keswick replied with much force. tions of the present covernor and in face of

the suggestion of the Secretary of State. Of

course they could not do so. However pow-

erful these gentlemen were they could not do

this. The spirit of the Queen's Regulations

would be carried out, the conditions made

by Sir Richard MacDonnell would be ad-

hered to and the law would be strictly en-

forced with regard to the payment of the

money, if any further money should ever

be paid towards the City Hall, to the

Trustee. It had been stated that some

sgreement had been dome to which the

Governor had evaded. He did not know

that it was very distinctly stated, but whe-

ther that was so or not it was a mistake.

In October 1879 this question arose

his attention was called to the matter

and a letter was written to the City Hall

Committee at that time proposing a baris

of settlement. That was done in couse-

quence of a letter which he held in his hand

John Macdonald and P. Ryrie, on the structions as to the person to whom the received from a member of this Council, ever class feelings had been rais d his hon. Hin Honor the Chief Justice. It was friend (Mr Keswick). Mr Forbes, Mr Hoppius and Mr Kuttonjee were responsible for. Council one paragraph :- " Could you not Mr Keswick denied most emphatically let the vote for the year be passed condithe statement in the petition that the Chiuese were at the meeting in question in any

way insulted or thwarted.

The other proceedings of the Council although important were of alless interesting character than the portion we have selected mittee considered binding on him was for reproduction to-day. We shall comclearly on those conditions. The notice as plete our report in next issue.

> OBSERVATORY ETC., FOR HONGKONG, The following documents were laid before the Council to-day by the Governor with eference to the above scheme for which a

vote of \$10,000 is taken in the estimates. In a despatch received by the Governor from Sir Michael Hicks-Beach there was englosed the following letter, dated Kew the ment and put forth every endeavour to Observatory, Richmond Feb. 25 1879, and Kow Committee;" the enclosure was addressed to the Under Secretary of State for the Colonies. His Excellency read the

I am instructed by the Kew Committee of the Royal Society to request that you will bring to the notice of the Right Honourable the Secretary of State, the favourable position occupied by the Colony of Hongkong for certain physical observations, especially with regard to the Typhoons of the China Seas; on Meteorology generally, and on Cerrestrial Magnetism, with a view to a communication to Governor Pope Hennessy and of an effort to induce the Government of that Colony, to support for a limited term of years an Observatory provided with selfrecording instruments.

Her Majesty's Government have already shown so warm an interest in the promotion the details the Governor had laid before of physical research, in connection with the Observatory of the Mauritius, that it is hardly necessary for the Kew Committee to importance of obtaining accurate records of the Magnetic and Meteorological conditions of the China Seas.

Our knowledge of these facts is, at present, but scanty. The existing observahad been before the Committee of the City land, Manila, Lat. 14, 53 N., Long. 120, Hall, a short time ago; that what condi- 52 E. Long. 116.29 E., The Russian Embassy.

Hongkong, Lat. 22.15 N., Long. 114°. 12' E., which divides the distance between Manila and Zi Ka Wei, would form a most valuable addition to the above list.

The India Office have recently reconstituted the Meteorological system of Hin-Committee beg to forward herewith a letter zation, in which he states very clearly the There was the reference of this question to mittee that it was best for the interests great advantages which would accrue, especially to Meteorology, from such a meagestion of the Secretary of State and peans that this should be so. There was sure as the establishment of an Observatory no race feeling in the matter so far as the at Hongkong.

> The Committee estimate the cost of instrumental outfit at about £1,000. The expenses of maintenance for chemi-

> cals and illumination (Gas of Paraffin) would amount in this country to about £100 a

The staff required would be a superintendent, with two or three Assistants. The Committee are not in a position to say what salaries would be required at Hongkong for such officials, but the subordinate duties being such as intelligent non-commissioned officers of the army have before been found and said, "Give us \$1,200 We know that each of them that consideration it de competent to perform, they need not be

The Committee would therefore venture proper quarter, with such recommendations duly to minister to those who have been an indigent wanderer sat down on housecertain hours as the Europeans and other on the subject as they are led to anticipate from the interest in the promotion of Science of the Chinese in the sense in which the | Bo frequently evinced by your Department; Library and the Museum being on the same | well qualified to appreciate.

tris Excellency also read the following extract from a despatch of his own to the Secretary of State dated 20th Nov. 1879 :-"I have read with much interest Mr Warren de la Rue's letter enclosed in your it necessary to call witnesses upon the despatch No. 105 of August last, suggesting on behalf of the Royal Society the estadishment of an Observatory in this Colony. more especially with reference to Meteorology and Terrestrial Magnetism. As you were good to say that I might consider this question when bringing the finances of the Colony before you, I have done so, and I | labours of the former committee sufficient venture carnestly to support Mr de is Rue's information has been accumulated for suggestions on local as well as on Imperial the purposes of this inquiry. through it, an attempt like which there had grounds.

prepared in Hongkong, I took the liberty of state of the law affecting civil actions including a sum of \$5,000 for an Observatory and Time Ball. Further consideration has convinced me that, in addition to what Mr Ryrie, Mr Ng Choy and the Attorney | may be necessary for securing an accurate Time Ball, we ought to have in this Colony The first named threw oil upon the a thoroughly efficient means of recording troubled waters by proving that there was such physical observations as Mr de la Rue no real difference between the Governor refers to. Furthermore, the clearness of and the Committee after all, as the Com- the atmosphere at certain seasons would mittee, in practice, refused no one who ap admit of a valuable record being made of plied to the person in charge even although sun spots. Incidentally, such questions as it might be the hours at which according to the tides and the varying temperature in the notice his nation were not admitted. the sea surrounding Hongkong,—the re-He advised the Committee to give way as markable disintegration of the granite sion that the balance of convenience the Governor was the Queen's Representa- which can be noticed almost from day to requires that further protection should dive and it was due to the dignity of his day in the island and in British Kowloong, be given to such reports, and certain extremely slight but not unire-Mr Achoy made his maiden speech on quently earthquake phenomena would prothis subject, treating it from the point of bably be deserving also of the attention of iew of the too good-natured race he had competent observers.

I believe such a vote would be cheerfully accurate and published without malice, oulty in including it in a supplementary a matter of expediency. He pressed the Estimate for 1880.

> THE Monster !- Junty (reading): "There is so little room in the House that members will have to ait on each other's knees."-Nephew t "Oh, crikey t Won't the women try to get into Parliament noto !"-- Funny

M. Vignauz, the champion billiardist of France, played Bennett, the ex-champion of England, a cannon game, giving him 500 in 1000. Bennett only secred 75. Kach cannon counted one. The French-1878, which he instanced as a stirring up man once sorred 1631 in one break. Benof class bitterpess which had escaped his note subsided, A List of 25,000 Geographical terms in

most frequent use has been drawn up in Chicene by Li Feng-pao, O inese Minister opinion that the name of every proprieat Berlin, with the assistance of Dr Kreyer tor of a newspaper, or, in the case of and Dr Allen. This list is the basis upon several persons engaged as partners in which a large-atlas of the world on Mercator's projection has been prepared and photoligraphed at Berlin. It also represents the nomenclature employed by Dr office of the Registrar of Joint Stock Kreyer in a translation of Daniel's Geo. Companies, with full particulars of the graphy, a large standard work to sixteen addresses and occupations of all such

Ohina FOOCHOW.

The Teking Gazette has the following or July 26th :-

Memorial from the Tartar General

Foochow, the Governor-General of Mincheh, and the Governor of Fuhkien reporting that the city of Foochow has been visited by a continuous succession of heavy rains, but, so far, no disastrons consequences have ensued. The memorialist. Ho Ching, assumed charge of his present duties early in the year 1877, and a few weeks afterwards the provincial capital was visited by disastrons floods that drove numbers of people from their homes, and filled the bearts of their rulers with never-ceasing pity. It seemed to him at that time that the narrowness of the outlet into the sea for the waters of the Tai-chiang, swelled by the drainage of the rivers and streams higher up, and the opposing action of the tide was a constant source of danger. He accordingly summoned the officials and having learned from them the condition of the water-ways of the [province], considered how be might best abate the evil from which they had suffered. In pursuance of the plans then formed, he proceeded to raise funds in the autumn of that year to of the Wu lung River below the sea wall (?) by way of Min an to the sea, and so relieve the pressure upon the Tai-chiang. year, after the spring had set in, there were steady and continuous rains, accomsimilar to those of 1877, and called for the adoption of precautions. The memorialists accordingly took counsel together, and gave orders that a number of life-boats should be hired and kept in the river near the city in readiness to be despatched to any place at which they might be wanted. Troops were also drafted off to patrol the neighbourhood, and officers were told off to open the granaries and have rice hulled in readiness for distribution to sufferers who might be in need of charitable relief. The prepara tions had only just been completed, when on the 3rd of June the rain again fell in torrents, as was anticipated, and continued time the river rose higher and higher, and there were from two to five fest of water contation His Excellency had made of the tories at which continuous observations are outside the city on the west, south, and understanding come to between Sir Richard | taken on the Eastern Coast of Asia and the | east side; there were from two to three MacDonnell and the founders of the City adjacent islands are-Batavia, Lat. 6°, 11 feet of water also inside the western, Hall were not borne out by the papers that | 8. Long. 106°. 40 E., supported by Hol- southern and eastern gates, while the street leading from the western gate, that Society of Jesus. Zi Ka Wei lies comparatively low, was also from one on a height is visible from a distance, (Shangai), Lat. 31.13 N., Long. 121.27 E., to two feet deep in water. The condition and that there was, no distinction by way Society of Jesus. Pekin, Lat. 39.53 N., of things was slightly better than in the year 1877, but the people, mindful of the lesson they then learned, had moved to higher ground, the life-boats coming to the rescue of those who could not get away in last year's harvest being a good one, the people had a small supply of grain in store, and were not in such a famishing condition were deemed to be wise and sufficient after dostan on a very extensive scale, and the us on the previous occasion. Thanks to the steps that had been taken to clear the from Mr Blanford, the Chief of that organi- Wu-lung River, as soon as the rain ceased the waters began to subside. The memo rialists were daily on the city walls superintending and keeping a look-out. The country folk kept quiet, and in the city itself no houses or walls fell down, and bythe 12th of June the floods had subsided. | without a fence around the greensward. A seems to threaten heavy rain, while as this none trampled on the delicate grass-while. that floods may once more ensue. The wall around them, so that poor children positively not relax their efforts. They houses of mechanics in Lambeth remain. will also continue to be diligent in prayers, | blocked up, whereby no hunte can look and endeavour to purify the lekin and on a green tree in the Palace ground. (n the importance of this question. The without a rail around their lawes. Acres Governor-General and his colleagues must positively be careful to make every pre- beautiful houses, where a cr wd of wandercalculated to make the lostitution generally to hope that the Colonial Office will be paration for the issue of relief. They will era might rest unchallenged, and watch seful. The Chinese were not in any way pleased to forward this suggestion to the at/the same time direct their subordinates mountain, river, and sky. In England, if

THE LAW OF LIBEL.

driven from their homes by the floods.

The following is the report in full of the Select Committee appointed to inquire into the present state of the law of libel:-

(1) Your Committee have not thought matters referred to them. They have had the advantage of the evidence taken by the Select Committee of 1879, who, owing to the short time at their disposal, were unable to report, and your committee are of opinion that through the

(2) Your Committee have confined Two years ago, in the first Estimates I themselves to an examination of the and criminal prosecutions for newspaper libel, and to the changes which, in their judgment, should be made therein. (3) It appears to your Committee

that one of the most important points of the subject referred to them is the question of extension of privilege to newspaper reports of the proceedings of a public meeting.

(4) Your Committee, after careful consideration, have come to the conclu-

(5) Your Committee accordingly recommend that any report published in any newspaper of the proceedings of a If, therefore, you will approve of my do- public meeting should be privileged if ing so, I should be glad to submit to the such meeting was lawfully convened for Finance Committee a vote of ten thousand a lawful purpose, and was open to the dollars for a general scientific Observatory. Dublic, and if such report was fair and supported by the majority of the Legislative and if the publication of the matter complained of was for the public benefit.

(6) But your Committee are of opinion that such protection should not be avail able as a defence in any proceeding i the plaintiff or prosecutor can show that the defendant lias refused to insert a reasonable letter or statement of explanation or contradiction by or on behalf of such plaintiff or prosecutor. (7) Your Committee recommend that

no criminal prosecution for libel published in a newspaper shall be commenced against the proprietor, publisher. or any one responsible for the publication of a newspaper for any libel published therein without the flat of the Attorney-General being first obtained. Your Committee are also o

such proprietorship, the names of al such persons, should be registered at the persons or of any change therein.

OUIDA. Since the appearance of certain adverse

criticisms of Ouida's book, " Moths," and

the letter from the authoress in the Times, the sale of the novel has, as a matter of course, vastly increased, and no doubt Ouida is busily engaged upon another novel written in a similar vein She has made somewhere about £50,000 by her books, and can obtain £2,000 down for a new work from her London publisher. Eccentricity in a public character answers well. It is a favourite assertion of Ouida's that we never admire what we fully understand; our interest is always increased by the unexplained, Consequently, she courts mystery, and is presumed to have given many false impressions of her past by the intimations and half-phrases she dropped. Her acquaintance with strange scenes and queer people is perhaps explained by the circumstance that she lost her mother at a very early age, and that her father, who bestowed great pains upon her education, made her the companion of his wanderings. He seems not to have been meet the expense of diverting the waters in any way careful of her or to have dreaded the influence of bad example. Wherever he went, she went; and he thus introduced her to a deal of indecorous life, not proper for a young panied by chilly weather that gave warning woman, much less for a girl at the of the approach of meteorological conditions coming period. What the witnessed and learned in her travels must have left an indelible impression on her youthful mind, and it is inferred that her unhealthful pages denote the fact. It would be easy to believe from the tone of her books that she had been reared in military barracks and had been associated with blacklegs, demireps, and debauchees. She was kept pretty closely at her studies until she was 16 or 17, and she has acquired a deal of miscellaneous information and superficial learning. She writes and speaks French, day and night until the 10th, during which Italian, German, and Spanish, and has visited and sejourned in most of the lands of the East as well as the States of Europe. Her villa, some three miles from Florence, is embowered in shrubbery and flowers, surrounded by a large area of cultivated ground, and standing She lives quite alone, with the exception of two faithful servants, an old woman and a hostler; baving no guesta under her roof save ordinary social visitors. Of this sort of company she has time. No lives, therefore, were lost, and a good deal. She has a regular reception day, when she has many calls, both from Italians and English. They visit her, it is said, to keep on good terms with her ; for everybody is afraid, not of her tongue but of her pen, which she uses with most

Norming surprised me more than to see the parks of New rork, abutting Broadway, But the sky is now again overcast, and million unresting feet passed by them, and is the period of spring tides, it is possible | in England, Soard Schools put up a prison memorialists will, however, continue to cannot see a flower girl go by in the maintain a precautionary attitude, and will atreets; and the back windows of the judicial systems from abuses in order to Florence, in Northampton, where the invite the harmonising attributes of Hea. | Holyoke mountain looks on the everven .- Rescripts: We have perused the | winding Connecticut River, as elsewhere, memorial, and are deeply impressed with | there are thousands of minsions to be seen ground or wayside, the probability is a policeman would come and look at himthe farmer would come and demand what as wanted, and the relieving officer would suggest to him that he had letter pass on to his own parish. Every man in America feels as though he owns the country. because the charm of recounised equality and the golden chances of ownership have entered his mind. He is proud of the statues and the public bundings. The great rivers, the trackless prairies, the rough mountains, all seem his. In America there is no Crown, and the people are kings, and they know it. I had not landed n the American shores an hour bef re l became aware that I was in a new nation, animated by a new life which I had never soon, -Nineteenth Century.

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#### Intimations.

THE CHINA REVIEW.

THE widely-expressed regret at the discontinuance of Notes & Queries on China and Japan, has induced the publishers of this journal to issue a publication similar in object and style, but slightly modified in certain details.

THE CHINA REVIEW, or Notes and Queries on the Far East, is issued at intervals of two months, each number containing about 60 octave pages, occasionally illustrated with lithographs, photographs, woodcuts, dc., should the papers published demand, and the circulation justify, such extra matter.

The subscription is fixed at \$6.50 postage paid, per annum, payable by non-residents Government House, North of Public in Hongkong half-yearly in advance.

The publication includes papers original

and selected upon the Arts and Sciences, Ethnology, Folklore, Geography, History, Literature, Mythology, Manners and Customs, Natural History, Religion, &c., &c., of China, Japan, Mongolia, Tibet, the Eastern Archipelego and the "Far East" generally. A more detailed list of subjects > upon which contributions are especially invited is incorporated with each number. Original contributions in Chinese, Latin, French, German, Spanish, Italian or Portuguese, are admissible. Endeavours are made to present a resumé in each number of the contents of the most recout works bearing on Chinese matters. Great attention is also paid to the Review

department. Notes and Replies are classified together as "Notes" (head references being given, when furnished, to previous Notes or Queries), as are also those queries which though asking for information, furnish new or unpublished details concerning the matter in band. It is desirable to make the Queries proper as brief and as much to the point as possible.

The China Review for July and August, 1875, is at hand. It says that forty-two essays were sent in to compute for the best paper on the advantages of Christianity for the development of a State. All our learned societies should subscribe to this scholarly and enterprising Review. It is a sixty paged, bi-monthly, repertory of what scholars are ascertaining about China. lecture on Chinese Poetry in this volume is alone worth the price of the Review. Address China Review, Hongkong. - Northern Christian Advocate (U.S.)

Trubner's Oriental Record contains the following notice of the China Review :- " This is the title of a publication, the first number of which has lately reached us from Hongkong, where it has been set on foot as in some respects a continuation of Notes and Queries on China and Japan, the extinction of which useful serial a year or two ago has been much regretted in Europe as well as in China. Thepresent publication, judging | Queen's Road Central. by the number now before us, is intended to occupy a position, as regards China and the neighbouring countries, somewhat similar to that which has been filled in India by the Calcutta Keview. The great degree of attention that has been bestowed of late years upon the investigation of Chinese literature, antiquities, and social developments, to say nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some such channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desir. able; and contributions of much interest may fairly be looked for from the members of the foreign consular services, the Chinese Customs' corps, and the missionary body, among whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is now assiduously cultivated, and who are severally represented in the first number of the Review by papers highly creditable to their respective authors. In a paper on Dr. Legge's She King, by the Rev. E. J. Eitel, to which the place of honour is deservedly given, an excellent summary is presented of the chronological problems and arguments involved in connexion with this important work. Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both accuracy and freshuess of style; and an account of the career of the Chinese poet-statesman of the eleventh century, Su Tung-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be a useful feature of the Review, if carried out with punctuality and detail, we are glad to notice that "Notes" and "Queries" are destined to find a place in its pages also. It is to be hoped that this opening for contributions on Chinese subjects may eyoke a similar degree of literary zeal to that which was displayed during the lifetime of its predecessor in the field, and that the China Keview may receive the support necessary to insure its continuance. The publication is intended to appear every two months, and will form a substantial octavo magazine.

## THE CHINESE MAIL.

This paper is now issued every day. The subscription is fixed at Four Dollars per annum delivered in Hongkong, or Seven Dollars Fifty Cents including postage to Coast ports. It is the first Chinese Newspaper ever

fasued under purely native direction. The chief support of the paper is of course derived from the native community, amongst whom also are to be found the guarantors and securities necessary to place it on a business andlegal footing. The projectors, basing their estimates

upon the most reliable information from the various Ports in China and Japan,from Australia, California, Singapore, Penang, Saigon, and other places frequented by the Chinese, - consider themselves justified in guaranteeing an ultimate circulation of between 3,000 and 4,000 copies. The advantages offered to advertisers are therefore unusually great, and the foreign community generally will find it to their interest to avail themselves of

The field open to a paper of this descrip tion—conducted by native efforts, but 1st Class Cargo Boat of 8 or 900 progressive and anti-obstructive in tonein almost limitless. It on the one hand commands Chinese belief and interest while on the other deserves every aid that can be given to it by foreigners. Like English journals it contains Editorialswith Local, Shipping, and Commercial News and Advertisements.

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### Visitors' Column.

We have instituted as an experiment a Visitors' Column, which we trust will prove successful, and be found useful. To it will be relegated from time to time such items of information, lists, tables and other intelligence as is considered likely to prove valuable to persons passing through the City, and in connection with we have opened SELECT HOTEL AND BUSINESS DIRECTORY, applications for enrolment into which we are now ready to receive.

List of Public Buildings.

Clardens. City Hall, Library (8,000 volumes) and Museum,-Free.

ublic Gardens, a beautifully picturesque retreat and of great interest. The Clock Tower, Queen's Road Central, in a line with Pedder's Wharf.

General Post Office, Hongkong Club, German Club, Supreme Court, &c., within a stone's-throw. Lusitano Club and Library, Shelley St.

Government Offices, the Secretariat, &c., near the Public Gardens. St. John's Cathedral (Anglican), above

the Parade Ground. Roman Catholic Cathedral, Wellington

Union Church, Elgin Street. St. Peter's Seamen's Church, West Point. St. Joseph's (R.C.) Church, Garden Road, near Kennedy Road.

Temperance Hall, specially adapted for sea-faring men, Queen's Road East. Sailors' Home, West Point. E. E. A. and China Telegraph Co., and the Great Northern Telegraph Co.,

Marine House, Queen's Road. Masonic Hall, Zetland Street. Victoria Recreation Club-Bath-house and Boat-house, & c.,-Praya, beyond the Cricket Ground, beside the City

The Barracks and Naval and Military Store Departments lie to the eastward, and cover a large area.

## Stores, Books, &c.

General Outfitter, Hosier, Tailor, &c.-T. N. DRISCOLL, 45 and 47, Queen's Road, by special appointment to H.E. the Governor.

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American and English Stores, Books, and specially selected Cigars .- MAC-EWEN, PRICKEL & Co. American Newspapers and cheap Re-

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LEGALISED TARIPF OF FARES FOR CHAIR, CHAIR BEARERS, AND BOATS, IN THE COLORY OF HONORONO. Chairs and Ordinary Pullaway Boats. Half hour, .... 10 ets. | Hour, ...... 20 etc. Three hours, ... 50 cts. Six hours, .... 70cts Day (from 6 to 6), One Dollar. To VICTORIA PRAK. Strigle Trip.

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## Hongkong Rates of Postage.

(Revised June 23, 1880.)

In the following Statements and Tables Patterns, per two ounces. one, nor must anything whatever be inserted | the Postmaster General. except bona fide Supplements. Printed

rent may be paid either as Newspapers or Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though Written by Hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, deeds, copied music, &c. The charge on them is the same as for books, but, whatever the weight of a packet containing any partially written

The sender of any Registered Article may accompany it with a Return Receipt on paying an extra fee of 5 cents. The limit of weight for Books and Commercial Papers to Foreign Post Offices is 4 lbs. Patterns for such offices are limited to 8 ounces, and must not exceed these dimensions: 8 inches by 4 inches by 2

N.R. means No Registration.

Countries of the Postal Union. The Union may be taken to comprise Europe, most foreign possessions in Asia, Japan, W. Africa, Egypt, Mauritius, all N. America, Mexico, Salvador, Chili, Brazil, Peru, Venezuela, The Argentine Ropublic, Jamaica, Trinidad, Guiana, and Spanish Colonies. Countries NOT in the Union. - The chief

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2 cents per 2 oz. Comm. Papers, There is no charge on redirected correspondence within the Postal Union. Postage to Non-Union Countries.

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sion, via Aden, Letters, 25; Registration, 10; Newspapers, 2; Books and Patterns, 5.

\* A small extra charge is made on delivery. + There is Registration to British W. India Islands, 10 cents. To the Bahamas and Hayti, The San Francisco route is

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(d) No Parcel Post.

Local Delivery. 1. All correspondence posted before 5 p.m. on any week day for addresses in Victoria will be delivered the same day, and generally within two hours, unless the delivery should be retarded by the Contract Mails.

2. Invitations, &c., can generally be delivered within Victoria at the private houses of the addressees rather than at places of business, if a wish to that effect be expressed by the sender, otherwise all correspondence is invariably delivered at 43.00 the nearest place of business. 8. Boxholders who desire to send Circu-

lars, Dividend Warrants, Invitations, Cards, do., all of the same weight, to addresses in Hongkong, Bangkok, or the Ports of China and Japan, may deliver them to the Post Office unstamped, the postage being then charged to the senders account. Each batch must consist of at least ten. 4. Boxholders may also send Patterns

to the same places in the same way. En-50 velopes containing Patterns may be wholly closed if the nature of the contents be first exhibited or stated to the Postmaster General, as he may consider necessary, and approved by him. Printed Circulars may 10 be inserted in such Pattern Packers.

· PARCELS.—The public is reminded that, there is no such thing as Parcel Post to Europe, &c. Much trouble and disappointment are caused by persistent attempts to send small valuable trifles through the Post. Fans. Curios Articles of Drass. Fancy Work, and similar presents are continually being refused, the senders having often spent more in Postage than would have paid the freight by steamer. No refund can be made on such parcels of the value of Stamps obliterated before the nature of the contents was discovered.

Local Parcel Post.

1. Small Parcels may be sent by Post between any of the Post Offices in China or Japan, as well as to Macao, Pakhoi, Singapore, Penang, and Malacca. the Rates are given in cents, and are, for They must not exceed the following dimen-Letters, per half ounce, for Books and sions, 2 feet long, 1 foot broad, 1 foot deep, nor wei h more than 5lbs. The postage Newspapers over four ounces in weight will be 20 cents per lb., which will include are charged as double, treble, &c., as the Registration. The parcels may be wholly case may be, but such papers or packets or closed if they bear this special endorsepapers may be sent at Book Rate. Two ment, PARCEL, CONTAINING NO LETTER, but Newspapers must not be folded together as any parcel may be opened by direction of

2. The following cannot be transmitted: matter may, however, be enclosed, if the Parcels insufficiently packed or protected, whole be paid at Book Rate. Prices Curor liable to be crushed (as bandboxes, &c.) Glass, Liquids, Explosive substar ccs, Matches, Indigo, Dyoutnife, Ice, Meat, Fish, Game, Fruit, Vegetables, or whatever is dangerous to the Mails, or likely to become offensive or injurious in transit.

3. Parcels will as a general rule be forwarded by Private Ship, not by Contract Mail Packet. The Post Office reserves the right of selecting the opportunity for transpaper, it will not be charged less than 6 mission, and of delaying delivery in case the number of parcels is such as to retard other correspondence. No responsibility is accepted with regard to any parcel, but the system of Registration will secure the conders against any but a very remote probability of loss,

4. The public are cautioned not to confound these facilities with a Parcel Post to Europe, &c., which does not exist.

Most countries to which Hongkong forwards Correspondence having joined the General Postal Union or being probable about to do so, it is necessary that the

following rules be strictly observed. 1. No Letter or Packet, whether to be registered or u registered, can be received for Postage if it contains gold or silver money, Honduras, Bermuda, Labuau, with all jewels, precious articles, or anything that, Danish, French, Netherlands, Portuguese as a general rule, is liable to Customs

2. This Regulation prohibits the sending Patterns of dutiable articles, unless the countries not in the Union are the Ausquantity sent be so small as to make the sample of no value. 3. The limits of weight allowed are as

> follows :--Books and Papers-to British Offic s, ō lbs.; to the Continent, &c., 4 lbs. Patterns-to British Offices. 5 lbs if without intrinale value; to the Continent, &c., 8 oz.

Indemnity for the Loss of a Registered Letter. The Post Office is not legally responsible for the safe delivery of Registered correspondence, but henceforth it will be prepared to make good the contents of such correspondence lost while passing through the Post, to the extent of \$10, in certain cases, provided :-

1. That the sender duly observed all the conditions of Registration require. 2. That the letter was securely enclosed

in a reasonably strong envelope. 3. That application was made to the Postmaster General of Hongkong immediately the loss was discovered, the envelope being invariably forwarded with such application unless it also is lost,

4. That the Postmaster General is satisfied that the loss occurred whilst the correscondence was in the custody of the British Postal administration in China, that it was not caused by any fault on the part of the sender, by destruction by fire, or shipwreck, nor by the disho caty or negligence of any person not in the employment of the Hongkong Post Officer

5. No compensation can be paid for mere damage to fragile articles such as portraits, watches, handsomely bound books, &c., which reach their destination, although to a broken or deteriorated condition.

#### Money Order Regulations. 1.- Money Orders are exchanged with the United Kingdom, New South Wales.

Queensland, South Australia and Port Darwin, the Straits Sottlements, Western Australia, and (except at Shanghai) with the Japanese Empire. Hongkong also isques orders on Shanghai, and vice versa. 2 -Small sums may be remitted between the other Ports by means of Postage Stamps, subject to a charge of one per

cent, for cashing them. 3. - Many Money Orders are supplied to residents at the smaller Ports in this way. An application for an order\* is filled up, and is enclosed with a stamped, directed, and unsealed envelope to the Postmaster at the nearest issuing office. The application must be accompanied with the full amount (including commission) in cheque, postage stamps, or other equivalent of cash, and a little margin should be left for variations of exchange. The Postmaster issues the order, sends it on in the envelope, and returns the change, if any, by first opportunity, with a receipt for the letter, if it were to be registered, as it always should be. Care should be taken to send these applications in time, as the Money Order Offices close some hours before the depar-

tures of the mails. 4.-No order must exceed £10, or \$50, or include any fraction of a penny, nor will more than two such orders be issued to the same person, in favour of the same payee, by the same mail. Orders will be drawn at the current rate of the day | and paid at the rate of the day when the advice arrived.

The commission is as follows:---Orders on the United Kingdom, Up to £2...... 18 cents. , £6..... 36 ,, , £7..... 54 , , £10......72 ,,

Local and Intercolonial Orders. Up to \$25 or £5 ..... 25 cents. , \$50 or £10 .a.50 ,, 5 .- Lasts of Money Orage Offices in the

United Kingdom may be consulted at Yotsal Hongkong and Shanghal. 6. - Names must be given in full (except when there is more than one Christian name) but the name of the Payes need not be given if the order be grossed (as cheques are crossed). It can then be paid only

through a Bank, and may afterwards be specially crossed to any Bank. 7.-No order can be paid till the Payee has signed it in the proper place. order can be transferred to another office on payment of an additional commission In case of loss of an order, necessity for stopping payment, or the like, application should be made to the nearest Money

Order Office for instructions. 8 .-- If the order be not presented within six months an additional commission will be charged; if not within twelve months, the money will be forfeited. When the order is once paid no further claim can be entertained.

9.-No order can be paid until the advice relative to it has been received:

· Made out on a printed form which is supplied Local Orders on Shanghai are drawn at 2 p cont. premium in all cases. A fixed dol lar rate for drawing on the United Kingdom is in force at Shanghai.

## Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloong shore k., and those in the Lody of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

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5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Whart. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard. 7. From Naval Yard to the Pier. 8. From Pier to East Point

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